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**All Around the County.**

**SANDYSTON.**  
In my last I mentioned that Samuel Fuller, of Walpack, had been taken to a New York hospital for treatment. I misunderstood my informant as he was taken to the hospital at Port Jervis. At last reports he was getting along nicely.

A bill has been introduced into Congress for the payment of pensions monthly instead of quarterly as is now done. This method now used is good enough, and the pensioner conceivably inclined would have one continuous spree instead of one each three months as was the case at Layton the last week.

When a pensioner becomes unable to control his appetite for drink and when that pensioner needs everyday star to make his home comfortable it would be the proper thing for the proprietor of a hotel to refuse to furnish him drink and send him home. But such was not the case last week.

Sickness is on the decrease, and in nearly every case the patients are improving. Our physicians have had their hands full, and will welcome a rest.  
The dance at the Layton hotel on Thursday evening although not largely attended was a grand success despite the severe cold. Every thing passed off to the satisfaction of those present and as dancing was kept up until nearly daylight, all had dancing to their hearts content. Good order and good music made it pleasant for all.

George Williams will remove from the tenant house of R. B. Everett to that of Daniel Ryan near the Ferry this spring.

Harmon Clifford, of Walpack, has rented the Van Etten farm near Fath's corner and will occupy the same April 2nd.

Will Bevan conductor on a trolley line to Newark, using home on Saturday last to spend a week's vacation with his parents.

Mrs. Frank Moring, of Walpack, is very ill at present writing and faint hopes are had of her recovery.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Frank O'Connell, of Newark, to a lady of Belleville, on Thursday of this week. Mr. Owen is a son of E. F. O'Connell, of Layton, and is engaged in business in Newark.

Eugene Major, executor of the estate of Frances Layton dec'd will sell absentee on Feb'y 28 the personal property belonging to the estate.

The assessment upon the zinc mines in Hardyston is not thought to be high enough and on top of that I am told that the Board of Assessors ordered a 10% rise upon the valuation of Newton, and that the order has been ignored and if so, why?

I understand that our committee has asked for \$1,400 for roads the coming year. Would it not be a good idea to take 200 dollars of that money and expend in the purchase of wire and put wire fences on the West side of our roads to prevent drifts and snow bills. The town to find the wire and the owner of the land the posts. It would be a saving for the town for years to come.

**LEDGEDALE.**  
Everybody and everybody's relatives are drawing legs for Frank Ryan in the wilds of Pike county.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Simons were guests of Burton Simons on Sunday.  
George Killam, wife and niece, of Paupse, were visiting I. K. Kellam on Sunday. Ide is under the doctors care, and has been for the past two weeks, but is better.

Mrs. Jabez Simons is visiting at I. K. Kellam's.  
A very little girl came to the home of Richard Bartleson and wife some three weeks ago. Mother and child are doing well.

We have the sick all around us. The telephone are kept on the go as are Drs. Gilpin and Simons. Doctor Simons goes with a sleigh, on foot, cross lots, and round Robin Hood's barn, but he gets there just the same.

**DINGMANS FERRY.**  
Blooming Grove appears to think that I have a poor opinion of the people of that township, but the contrary is true. If I had to select a township in which the most straightforward and honest men in the county were to be found to fill the responsible offices, that would be the township which I would first think of, and I know I would find them. My criticism was not intended to apply farther than the lawful rights of the Park Association, and the rights it has under its charter, which are just as lawful as those given by any other act of our legislature. The members of the Association invested their money under guarantee and they have the local right to its protection, and also the right to try trespassers on their lands by its provisions. Custom may make law, but people are not bound by it in the face of a positive statute, and my contention simply is that the Park Association having a law, no matter how stringent, has the right to enforce it, and that people knowing this should not blame them for so doing. Milford Borough by reason of its incorporation, has ordinances and other laws which are not possessed by any other municipality in the county, and offenders are tried and punished by those ordinances. Why should any objection of your local provisions be allowed to be tried by another than the ordinance has violated? And if so in your case, why not equally so with the Park?

Pike county's timber tracts are about all gone, the population is decreasing and a superficial observer might say that we have a dark future, but there is a bright side to it. Under new conditions and with better laws to protect landowners from irresponsible trespassers, city capital will come to build summer homes and put money made elsewhere in circulation here. Out-stone quarries which extend from Lehman to Westfall will all be a source of revenue with a rail road up the valley and our agricultural interests along the river will expand. There are quarries in this township as good as any in the county all they want is development. We have gentlemen here to who are fond of fishing and hunting, but not of work. They throw down fences, upset stone walls, run on our lands, steal our trout, shoot our game, and if we only had some such protection as the Park has we could sell rights to catch our fish and shoot our game to city sportsmen who would gladly pay for the privilege, and this we could secure some revenue to aid in paying taxes and improving our lands.

We are right in fashion here with the grip.  
E. S. Wolf has removed his saw mill from the Wilson place to that of J. B. Shoemaker.

The school house flag was some what torn by the high wind Lincolns birthday but it is hoped will be ready Feb'y 23.

The gentlemen of Epworth church purpose giving a Washington supper at the church Feb'y 23. A veritable spread will be served and each guest presented with a hand some souvenir. Come and bring your friends.

Mrs. D. B. Allen has returned from Westtown.  
H. Phillips and daughter, Hattie, of Newton, were guests at the Allen home Tuesday.

C. Bills fell from the rail road bridge Tuesday and was quite seriously injured.  
M. Uch has put a street lamp in front of his place of business which is a great public benefit. There should be several more in the town.

The 15 cent tea at Mrs. A. Van Etten's Thursday evening was well worth attending and was a pleasant affair.  
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James Hunter, of Sum-ville-Jess., is visiting relatives here.  
The Valentine social held Feb'y 14 at the home of Mrs. Frank Gussow was a pleasant affair and greatly enjoyed by those present.

Miss Emma Bulman and sister, Cora, are home from a visit to New York.  
The J. C. E. S. of Hope church enjoyed a sleigh ride last Tuesday afternoon.

The L. A. S. of Epworth church met this week at the home of Mrs. G. H. Laughton.  
The rummage sale under the auspices of the C. E. S. of Epworth church will be held March 21 and 22.

Frank Blakey and wife, of Brooklyn, are guests of her parents T. J. Ketcham and wife.  
Miss Flossie Niles was tendered a pleasant surprise last Saturday afternoon by a number of her little friends and all had a merry time.

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Dr. Borgstrommer who has been ill with typhoid fever is around again.  
A Valentine social for the benefit of the Methodist church was held at the home of D. H. Middaugh, Feb. 14.  
So far 110,000 feet of lumber has been sawn on the Wilson side of the Donaldson lan s.  
Reader Morgan who has been ill for several weeks is slowly improving and hopes to be well again by spring.

**PAUPAC.**

A small blizzard arrived here last week sweeping the snow from some places in our road and drifting it in others, making it impossible to travel in places.

Our neighbors are still complaining of the scarcity of water and are obliged to still draw it from the river and larger springs.  
Ada Bane and Mark Edger, of Saratoga, spent Sunday with the family of M. N. B. Killiam.

B. F. Killiam was confined to the house with the flu in gripe the greater part of last week.  
Mrs. Oms. Block is critically ill with pneumonia. Dr. Simons is in attendance.

Mrs. Herbert Adams is spending a short time with her mother, Mrs. Augusta Bennett.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schlager called on friends here Sunday.  
Mrs. E. L. Bittenbender was in the place last week for a short time.

Wilmer Clark returned to his home on Saturday after a two weeks stay at Bangor, Maine at which place his son, George, has been seriously ill with typhoid fever. We are pleased to state that he left the young man on the road to recovery.

In spite of our toms and entreaties Tommy has left us to go and seek his fortune in the state of the lone star, where the cactus grows, the Texas star doth roam, and the lizard bask in the sun. We miss you greatly Tommy, but our best wishes go with you, and when you return to the wilds of Pike you may be sure of a hearty welcome. DEFEVRO.

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**SPONGE CROP OF THE GULF.**

Government Will Take Measures to Develop the Industry in Florida.  
The study of the sponge fields of Florida is to be undertaken by the government with a view to developing an important industry. Florida is the only part of the United States producing sponges of a commercial value, says a Washington report. There are 310 vessels with more than 2,000 men employed in the industry, and it is estimated that the 1900-1901 crop will have a commercial value of \$350,000. Sponges are found on the eastern and western coasts, but are more abundant on the western coast, owing to the equable temperature and moderate depth of the water and the absence of fierce hurricanes.

The sponge grounds of the Gulf of Mexico extend from the Florida reefs to St. Mark's and for a distance of 15 miles from shore. The best sponges in color, texture and size are indigenous to deep water, and as these command the highest prices in all markets the sponging vessels frequently work for days together out of sight of land. There would seem to be no reason why a flourishing industry should not be built up. The government has been so successful in the various efforts it has made of this character that much is to be expected of its contemplated work.

**LEPROSY IN PHILIPPINES.**

Fully Thirty Thousand Cases in the Islands, According to Franciscan Fathers.  
An appended report to Gen. MacArthur's review of the civil affairs of the Philippines for the last fiscal year gives some rather startling facts regarding the introduction and prevalence of leprosy in the islands. According to the estimates of the Franciscan fathers, says Maj. Guy I. Ellis, the writer of the report, there are no less than 30,000 lepers in the archipelago, the major portion of these being in the Visayas. Leprosy was introduced in 1633, when the emperor of Japan sent a ship with 150 lepers on board to the Philippines as a present to be cared for by the Catholic priests.

Thus the seed was planted, and as no practical methods ever were adopted to eradicate the disease or prevent its spread it has taken firm root. A house-to-house inspection begun last January found more than 100 lepers concealed in dwellings. These were sent to San Lazaro hospital in Manila, but many others escaped into the surrounding country. A commission is now engaged in the work of selecting a suitable island or islands for the purpose of isolating all the lepers in the archipelago.

A Remedy for Leprosy.  
By using a lymph discovered by a Paris physician, it is now possible, according to reports from that city, to regenerate the red globules in the blood of lepers. Dr. Metschnikoff, of the Pasteur Institute, is the discoverer, and he thinks that when he has improved the serum he may be able to rejuvenate the organs of the human body.

High-Priced Cherries.  
At a dinner given by Count Boni de Castellane in Paris recently, d'wart cherry trees loaded with fruit were used for ornament and the cherries for dessert. The cherries, it is said, cost four dollars each. The trees had been forced in hothouses.

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